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SUBJECT: DEFINITION OF THE NICS

REF: USNATO 3951

1. YOU MAY APPROVE DEFINITION QUOTED IN REFTEL.

2. WE BELIEVE THE FOLLOWING REVISIONS WOULD IMPROVE THE  
DEFINITION, AND YOU SHOULD PROPOSE THEM FOR CONSIDERATION  
BY OTHERS:

-- A) PARA 10D, CHANGE TO READ:

-- "NATIONALLY OWNED TERMINAL EQUIPMENT WILL NOT  
NORMALLY BE CONSIDERED PART OF THE NICS EXCEPT FOR SYSTEM  
PLANNING AND CERTAIN OPERATING CONTROL FUNCTIONS; HOWEVER,  
INTERCONNECTION OF SUCH EQUIPMENT WITH THE NICS WILL BE  
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CONDITIONAL UPON NATIONAL COMPLIANCE WITH TECHNICAL INTER-

FACE CRITERIA AND DEFINED OPERATING CONTROL AUTHORITY  
ESTABLISHED BY APPROPRIATE NATO AGENCIES."

-- B) PARA 13, CHANGE TO READ:

-- "...OF SYSTEM PLANNING AND SYSTEM DIRECTION  
AND SUPPORT. SUCH..."

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